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With Dates of Events.

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SANCHEZ'S CONFESSION. He Killed His Wife, but Says It Was an Accident. (ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.) DENVER, Nov. 1.—Jose Sanchez, son of Sheriff Joseph H. Sanchez of Valencia county, N. M., today confessed that he fired the shot that killed his wife in the Colorado House early Saturday morning. He alleges, however, that the shooting was accidental. His statement conflicts in many particulars with known circumstances, and the police claim there will be no difficulty in proving him guilty of murder. Sanchez said he was advised by a friend, "Mexican Pete" Everett, a prize fighter, to say Mrs. Sanchez was shot by somebody who entered the room, and Everett has been arrested. He denies that he gave Sanchez such advice.

EVE OF BATTLE

Voters in Line to Go to the Polls.

Fate of Many Candidates to Be Decided Today.

Bitter Fight for the Mayoralty of Greater New York.

TAMMANY TIGER IS ON TOP.

Van Wyck's Election a Foregone Conclusion.

Tracy Has Practically Thrown Up the Sponge.

Triumph of Bosses Made Possible by Reformer Low.

OFF-YEAR OUTLOOK IN OHIO.

Bad Weather Gives Democrats Hope of Success—The Situation in Pennsylvania, Maryland, Colorado and Other States.

[BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—(Special Dispatch.) The great campaign for Mayor of Greater New York was brought to a close tonight amid enthusiasm that has no parallel in history. Never before has so much interest been manifested in the outcome of a political contest as in this, the greatest of American cities. The fight for Mayor has been long and bitter. From the moment of the passage of the Greater New York charter, unexampled interest has been manifested in this contest. The people of enlarged New York are, and have been, as much concerned in the fight for Mayor this year as last year's Presidential campaign. Then the fight was for the preservation of the nation's honor; now, for the city's. From the very beginning of this remarkable campaign, the contest has been between reformers and bosses.

"Down with boss rule!" "No boss shall rule this town!" These and similar slogans have been the keynote of the reformers. A nondescript band of disgruntled Republicans, styling themselves reformers, headed by Seth Low, expect to capture the Mayoralty banner, but on the eve of the fight they have no more show of success than a snowball in hell. Gen. Tracy, soldier and statesman, candidate of the Republican party, has practically thrown up the sponge, admitting defeat, although his managers, Platt and Quigg, are still hopeful. Seth Low, the renegade and hypocritical reformer and chief obstacle in Republican success, is tonight the most despised man since Boss Tweed. Had it not been for him, Gen. Tracy would certainly have been elected. But, as it is, the Republican party seems to stand on the brink of defeat. Van Wyck of French ball fame, the tool of Boss Croker and John Sheehan of Tammany Hall, looms up as the next Mayor of Greater New York. His success was only made possible by a divided Republican vote.

Since the death of Henry George, thousands of voters have been swung into line for Van Wyck, but his success seemed assured even before this. Henry George, the younger, will poll a considerable vote, but he possesses far less strength than did his dead father. Tonight the hotel lobbies swarm with eager throngs of humanity, rushing to and fro to place money on the outcome of tomorrow's contest. Everywhere most intense interest is manifested, but every one concedes that Seth Low's candidacy has insured the election of Tammany's candidate. Joe Vendig, one of the greatest bookmakers and gamblers in the United States, was in the Hoffman House a good part of the evening with several thousand dollars, which he placed at odds on the Mayoralty campaign. His bets were made as follows: Two and one-half to one, Van Wyck wins. Three to one against Low. Fifteen to one against Tracy. One hundred to one against George. As the situation now appears, and there is no likelihood of a change between now and the opening of the polls, Van Wyck will win. Tracy and Low will run close for second place, and George will be the tail-end.

PHOCION HOWARD.

GENERAL OUTLOOK.

Political Situation in New York, Ohio and Elsewhere.

[BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—(Special Dispatch.) Tomorrow with the casting of ballots ends the most memorable municipal canvass in the history of this country. It has been a long and bitter one, full of the most remarkable and unexpected shifts and changes. It may be said to have been begun early in the year when the Citizens' Union was formed to carry out the provisions of the Constitution as amended in 1894, designed to give to the cities of the State non-partisan government.

Then came the nomination of Seth Low. With four tickets in the field the campaign has been active, not to say bitter. The death of Henry George, of course, will make a difference in the pluralities, but it will hardly affect the results. Not even sanguine Republicans give Tracy or Low a chance with the Tammany candidate. Low has killed Tracy, or Tracy has killed Low, just as you please. The George vote, it is thought, will be cut in thirds, going to George, Jr., Low and Van Wyck.

Popular prophecy places the candidates as follows: Van Wyck, Low, Tracy, George. Betting is 25 on Van Wyck. The greatest interest in the election outside of New York City centers in Maryland and Ohio. Dispatches from Columbus say that on the eve of the great election the chances for Hanna's success seem certain. Indications are that the Republican will control the Legislature, in spite of all the opposition that has been brought to bear against them. Giving the Democrats all the advantage possible by counting doubtful counties in the Democratic column, they will not have enough votes to control a majority on joint ballot in the Legislature.

In Maryland, while the outlook tonight seems to favor the chances of the Republicans in the municipal election in Baltimore, Senator Gorman and his friends are as confident as ever of obtaining control of the Legislature. The Democrats also expect to carry their city ticket, although they generally seem to base their strongest hopes upon the Legislature.

CONFLICTING ESTIMATES.

Claims Made by the Contending Parties in New York.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—In estimates and claims in the Greater New York campaign given out today, Chairman Quigg for the Republicans says the county committee confidently expects the election of Gen. Tracy, and is also confident that Low will not carry a single assembly district in the present city Assembly. Quigg, who is expected to give the ratio of votes between Low and Tracy will be 3 to 1, and he expects Tracy to poll a total of 200,000. Ex-Mayor Hugh Grant, Judge Van Wyck's manager, says a statement in which he estimated the Democratic candidate's vote in Greater New York at 240,000. He expects 148,000 in the city and 192,000 in the county. Quigg's ratio of votes between Low and Tracy will be 3 to 1, and he expects Tracy to poll a total of 200,000. Ex-Mayor Hugh Grant, Judge Van Wyck's manager, says a statement in which he estimated the Democratic candidate's vote in Greater New York at 240,000. He expects 148,000 in the city and 192,000 in the county.

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CAMPAIGN OF SURPRISES.

Four Notable Events Disturbed the Situation in New York.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—The most sensational political campaign in the history of New York ended tonight. A day for the past month has been void of exciting incidents. A few months ago it seemed as though there would be a straight fight between the Republicans and Democrats, with the odds in favor of the latter on account of the opposition to the Rumor Liquor law, a Republican measure, which requires saloons to pay a high license and remain closed from 1 to 5 a.m. and 5 to 8 p.m. on Sunday. The law is highly unpopular among the foreign-born inhabitants of this city. Four events have occurred which have in turn upset the calculations of the politicians.

The first was the formation of the Citizens' Union, which drew its strength chiefly from the Republican party, among whose leaders were so fiercely hostile to Senator Platt and his methods of directing the regular Republican organization that a coalition party, known as the Citizens' Union, was formed. Mr. Platt had repeatedly declared that he desired, was impossible. The Citizens' Union leaders asserted that the regular Republican organization and its manager were quite as offensive to good citizens as those of Tammany.

The second startling event was the return from Europe of Tammany's old leader, Richard Croker, or rather his immediate assumption of the management of Tammany Hall. He swept aside all opposition and dictated the nomination of Robert A. Van Wyck for Mayor, and carried matters with such a high hand as to lead to serious defections from the wigwag. The third epoch of the campaign was the call of Henry George by the Democrats who believed in Thomas Jefferson to lead them in a fight for honest government. His veterans in the campaign of 1886, when he polled 68,000 votes, flocked to his standard as the soldiers of France did to the banner of Napoleon returned from Elba, and in a few days Henry George's party, apparently lacking none of the resources of war, was waging a fight that amazed all the political parties. From the Battery to the Bronx, from Staten Island to Rockaway, he preached the rights of man and denounced the so-called party with a force which electrified the city. Last Thursday night the tide seemed to be flowing irresistibly toward George. On Friday came the Bronx from Staten Island to Rockaway, he preached the rights of man and denounced the so-called party with a force which electrified the city. Last Thursday night the tide seemed to be flowing irresistibly toward George. On Friday came the Bronx from Staten Island to Rockaway, he preached the rights of man and denounced the so-called party with a force which electrified the city.

At the campaign headquarters tonight each party professes the utmost confidence in victory tomorrow. The betting favors Van Wyck. The Tammany candidate, Seth Low, ranking third, is expected to carry the Bronx, and the vote for young George will not be large.

The German-American branch of the Thomas Jefferson Democracy brought the campaign to a close by a meeting tonight at Cooper Union. Despite the rain there was a large attendance. About the hall was hung portraits of Henry George draped in black. Father (CONTINUED FROM FIFTH PAGE.)

AN IRON HEEL

Grinds Down Citizens of Nicaragua.

President Zelaya Plays the Role of a Tyrant.

Ten Thousand Nicaraguans Driven from Their Homes.

Diet of the Greater Republic of Central America Still Interposes Objections to United States Minister W. L. Merry.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

MANAGUA (Nicaragua), Oct. 11.—[Correspondence of the Associated Press.] It is understood that the Diet of the Greater Republic of Central America, now in session, has refused to agree with the arguments put forward by Secretary Sherman in support of the appointment of Capt. William L. Merry of San Francisco, as Minister of the United States to Nicaragua, Costa Rica and Salvador, while partly recognizing the Diet. It is claimed here in certain quarters, that this step was taken in order to force the United States government, if possible, to fully recognize the Diet, although it is claimed that body may be overturned almost any day by a successful revolution in Nicaragua, Costa Rica or Salvador, or by the withdrawal from it of any one of the presidents governing the State he represents. The reply of the Diet will probably be forwarded to the United States State Department on October 19 or 20.

It may be here pointed out that the feeling of opposition to the Presidents or "dictators" of the States of the Greater Republic of Central America, is steadily growing in bitterness and in this country the people are suffering greatly under the rule of their President, Gen. Zelaya. Since the distasteful revolution of September last, when the Greater Republic of Central America, is steadily growing in bitterness and in this country the people are suffering greatly under the rule of their President, Gen. Zelaya.

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families of the country. To make matters worse, no body seems to know where all the money collected by forced loans goes, and the current belief is that Zelaya and his friends have been sending large sums abroad in order to feather the nests to which they may eventually have to fly.

The Diet of the Greater Republic of Central America has recognized John Jenkins as United States Consul at San Salvador, capital of the Republic of Salvador.

W.C.T.U. CONVENTION.

Mrs. Carse's Temple Report Discussed Behind Closed Doors.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] BUFFALO (N. Y.), Nov. 1.—From 2 o'clock this afternoon until 7:30 o'clock the delegates to the National W.C.T.U. Convention held continuous session behind closed doors, and discussed with much warmth the report of Mrs. Matilda C. Carse on the Chicago Temple. Mrs. Carse was called upon to answer hundreds of questions, most of which were covered in her report.

MORNING SESSION.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] BUFFALO (N. Y.), Nov. 1.—At today's session of the National W.C.T.U. Convention the reports and addresses of Mrs. Anna Benjamin, Minnie B. Horning Oberholter and A. E. Carmel were read.

KELLUM'S BAR OF GOLD.

HE CAME NEAR LOSING IT ON THE DESERT.

Two Mexicans Held Up the Stage, but the Bullion Was Being Transported on a Buckboard and Thus It Was Saved.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] PHOENIX (Ariz.), Nov. 1.—J. C. Kellum, Assistant District Attorney of Maricopa county, returned last night from Harrisburg, on the desert, 100 miles northwest of Phoenix, bringing with him a \$7000 bar of bullion, the product of a mine in which he is interested. He states that an attempt was made to hold him up on the journey. Instead of coming by the regular stage, he followed it a short distance away in a buckboard, accompanied by two guards. A few miles from Harrisburg the stage was stopped by two Mexicans, who demanded the bar of bullion. The hold-up was hardly accomplished before Kellum's buckboard came up. Sizing up the situation, the guards jumped to the road and opened fire upon the robbers.

The latter returned several shots, but soon retreated, and were lost in the darkness.

A FAIR BURGLAR.

Pretty Boston Girl Robs the Safe of Her Employers.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] BOSTON, Nov. 1.—Miss Lethia Day, a pretty clerk in the office of the Sewall & Day Coddage Company, played the role of a burglar and was caught in the act of opening the safe, the combination of which she was not supposed to know. She broke down and confessed to having taken \$75 at various times, but members of the firm say the loss exceeds \$200. She told how, for a year or more, she had by pretext obtained keys to the building, the office and the safe drawer, and how, by repeated favors, she had induced another clerk, a young man, to divulge the combination. Miss Day, who is 21 years old, is a perfect beauty and dresses like the daughter of a millionaire.

During the past two years, it is asserted on good authority, more than 10,000 native Nicaraguans have been compelled to leave their homes and country. Those who have left include representatives of some of the noblest and most patriotic and most distinguished

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## COAST RECORD.

### PARDONED BY BUDD.

LOUIS STERNBERG GETS HIS SENTENCE ABRIDGED.

The San Francisco Vote Colonizer Released from State Prison by the Governor.

STRONG PRESSURE BROUGHT.

MAYOR PHELAN'S REMONSTRANCE HAD LITTLE WEIGHT.

Inquest Over the Alleged Berkeley Suicide Begun—Ligation Over the Estate of William Dunphy Instituted.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 1.—Gov. Budd today granted a pardon to Louis Sternberg, the San Francisco vote colonizer, who, in February, 1895, was convicted and sentenced to serve three years in the State prison.

A numerous signed petition praying the Governor to use the pardoning power in favor of Sternberg, was presented some time ago, but at the request of Mayor Phelan of San Francisco, the Chief Executive withheld action until a counter-petition might be forwarded. The counter-petition arrived recently and contained only 321 names, and the Governor signed the proclamation which makes Sternberg a free man.

After reciting the facts of the case and of the recommendation of the prison directors for his pardon, the Governor says:

"After the recommendation of the prison directors, the Mayor of San Francisco, James D. Phelan, telegraphed a request that I delay action until a protest of the citizens of San Francisco could be procured and forwarded. I have waited and after two weeks' delay, have received the protest. Notwithstanding the known ease with which signatures can be secured, the Mayor's protest, three in number, contain but 321 names out of the upward of 70,000 voters and 350,000 residents of San Francisco.

As we must assume that all the proceedings in this behalf were in good faith, the protest does not overbear the facts, petitions and recommendations above, and is an evidence of acquiescence of the citizens of San Francisco in the judgment of the board of prison directors.

"Fully agreeing with the Mayor and protestants as to the seriousness of offenses against the election laws—I was as ready to aid in their prosecution, as I was in their pardon, but for the reasons herein stated, I deem the shortening of Sternberg's sentence proper."

MISS HOLLYWELL'S DEATH.

Coroner's Inquest Begun—Evidence Clearly Indicates Suicide.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

OAKLAND, Nov. 1.—The coroner's inquest over the remains of Annie B. Hollywell, the Berkeley girl suicide, was begun this morning in Berkeley by Dr. Baldwin.

The evidence indicated that the girl was addicted to the use of narcotics and was of an excitable, nervous, morbid disposition.

W. A. Hollywell, the girl's father, was the first witness called. He expressed utter ignorance of the person mentioned in the mysterious letter, and also denied that he had ever written his daughter that she had failed in business. As far as he knew, she was happy and contented.

Dr. Eastman, who attended the girl, stated that he believed from her condition and from her remarks, that she was addicted to the use of opiates. When he had restored her to consciousness Monday night, after she had taken an overdose of morphine, she told him that she was in the habit of taking opiates and that she was sorry she had not taken enough to put her to sleep forever. He described her condition as that of a person predisposed to melancholia, and expressed the view that she had committed suicide while in a depressed state of mind.

Mrs. Berg, the girl's former landlady, testified that Miss Hollywell said she had brain fever twice and feared she would eventually die. The girl was peculiar and excitable.

Mrs. Durgin, with whom the girl resided, testified that Miss Hollywell was always reticent, but apparently cheerful.

Louise Garland testified that she had been asked to look after Anna by Miss Gleson, who said the girl was in trouble. Louis Patton and Druggist Lorin testified that they sold morphine to the young woman who gave the name of Miss Labianche, and her residence as No. 240 Durant avenue, which proved to be a vacant lot. The girl spoke as though addicted to the use of the drug, and wanted to use it hypodermically. They were unable to identify the remains as those of the young woman to whom they sold the drug.

Charles McNulty, another druggist, testified that he sold morphine in powder to a girl eight weeks ago.

The girl's father was then recalled and testified that he knew no one by the name of Ellis King or R. J. Blythe. Further ligation was postponed until tomorrow night.

FATHER GETS THE BODY.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

OAKLAND, Nov. 1.—Coroner Baldwin today granted Mr. Hollywell permission to take the body of his daughter to Redlands before the completion of the inquest. He left Berkeley with the corpse at 4:30 p.m., going directly to the family home, where the funeral will be held. The father refuses to believe that his daughter committed suicide. He says she took too much narcotic by mistake to relieve pain.

Among the strange coincidences in the case is the discovery of a man whose name is Eli R. King. The name signed to the mysterious letter that Miss Hollywell received last Monday is Ellis R. King. The similarity is striking, but Eli R. King seems to have absolutely no connection with the affair. He lives at 1014 E. Angeles and was in Ventura tonight.

SENSATIONAL SUIT.

Complaint Makes Serious Charges Against a Dead Man.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 1.—Serious reflections upon the character of a dead man are contained in a complaint filed with the County Clerk today, in which John Henderson, an electrical engineer, claims to have been swindled out of \$75,000, which he alleged he earned as a commission upon the consolidation of the California Electric Light Company with the Edison General Electric Company. Henderson's suit is brought to recover this amount from the estate of George H. Roe, deceased, by whom Henderson was employed at the time of the consolidation, which it is al-

leged, was effected mainly through the efforts of the plaintiff. After the consolidation the board of directors of the California Electric Company held a special meeting for the purpose of considering the question of remunerating Henderson for his services and voted him 500 shares of the Edison Company, which was turned over to Roe for him. Henderson alleges that Roe failed to transfer the shares, but appropriated them to his own use.

ASHHURST MURDER TRIAL.

Defendant Makes a Good Impression on the Jury.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

HOLLISTER, Nov. 1.—The sixth day of the trial of John Ashhurst for the killing of Frank Lynch near the New Idria mines on September 12, opened today with a vigorous cross-examination of Dick Rogers by the prosecution. Rogers was badly tangled up, and according to his testimony today it was impossible for him to have seen the shooting as testified to by him on preliminary examination.

Manuel Gonzales, keeper of the saloon where the shooting occurred, testified that Lynch, Orobueno and Ashhurst drank at his bar in the morning. Orobueno jeered Ashhurst about his cattle being stolen, saying: "I've just thrown \$40 on the bar which I got for your cattle." Lynch thereupon said: "I've stolen your cattle for three years, and will continue to do so."

Defendant John Ashhurst testified to being told by different parties of Lynch's threats against him, and that he thought the deceased was going to shoot when he dismounted from his horse. He considered Lynch a dangerous man, and was in fear of assassination for eight years past. He took a gun from the ranch to kill Lynch. Ashhurst told a straight story, and made a good impression. Arguments will commence tomorrow at noon.

AN UNLUCKY VOYAGE.

Schooner Pilot Returns from Alaska—Halibut Grounds.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

PORT TOWNSEND (Wash.), Nov. 1.—The schooner Pilot returned today from an unlucky voyage to the halibut district of southeastern Alaska, her crew of four men having been on short rations for two weeks, and subsisting on quarter rations for the past eight days. The Pilot left Port Townsend eight weeks ago, but met with contrary winds from that time till she arrived home today.

Passing out through Dixon's entrance three weeks ago a terrible storm was encountered. For twenty-eight hours Capt. Johnson stood in the storm with bare poles, and the little craft was tossed about like a chip. When the storm was first broken he sighted a little schooner heading northward with the American flag flying. She appeared to be wanting assistance, but gave no further indications as the Pilot headed south. The schooner again stood off. The Pilot was finally lost sight of. At no time could her name be distinguished, but her description, the schooner Janus, which left here September 5 with a party of twelve California men bound for Copper River.

COMING BY BOAT.

Passengers on the Santa Rosa for California.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 1.—The following passengers left on the steamer Santa Rosa:

For Redondo:	Miss Morton,
Mr. Feliz,	Miss Thompson,
W. J. Hill,	J. Switzer,
J. Hilderbrand,	Mrs. Switzer,
Miss Cheesbrough,	Mrs. Plank,
Miss Lemon,	Wm. Ecker,
Dr. Johnson,	C. Franklin,
Mr. Pfeiffer,	E. Pierce,
R. Wilbur,	Mrs. Simon,
J. Gihilly,	Miss Schmidt,
Mrs. Wade,	Mrs. Mowbr,
For San Diego:	
G. Henderson,	Miss Carlson,
M. Grevel,	Miss Olson,
Miss Nolan,	Joseph Weber,
For Port Los Angeles:	
Miss Penhill,	A. Hartman,
Miss Rupert,	F. Smith,
Miss Bradley,	Wm. Horstman,
Miss Lowell,	G. Wilson,
Mrs. Sutton,	
C. Duncan,	
For Santa Barbara:	
J. Johnson,	Miss Sheas,
B. Harris,	Miss Perry,
P. Piesport,	C. Morris,
S. Metcalf,	J. Reed,
S. Metcalf,	

GOOD CREDENTIALS.

Chinese Certificates May Be in Any Language.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 1.—Several weeks ago forty-one Chinese arrived at this port from Macao, a Portuguese possession in China, provided with certificates in conformity with the provisions of the Gresham treaty. But the certificates were in the Portuguese language. The Chinese were admitted on the strength of Collector Jackson's interpretation of the law, which he was today informed by wire has been sustained by the Treasury Department.

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MISSING FEE BOOK.

Judge Mannon Decides the Case in Favor of Defendant.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SANTA ROSA, Nov. 1.—The decision of Judge Mannon of Mendocino county, who presided here in the trial of the case of Sonoma county against ex-Recorder G. P. Hall and his bondsmen to recover \$3000 for the alleged loss of fee book No. 13, and the cost of making up a substitute, was received last Monday inquest. Judge Mannon decided in favor of the defendant, holding that the defense had shown, by a preponderance of evidence, that the missing fee book was in the County Recorder's possession. The latter turned it over to his successor, Recorder Atchison. The case has created much interest all over Northern California.

COOK'S INLET GOLD.

Successful Miners Return from Southern Alaska.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

PORT TOWNSEND (Wash.), Nov. 1.—The schooner Norman Sunde, operated by the Copper River Trading and Transportation Company of this place, arrived this morning from Cook's Inlet. The schooner brought down sixteen passengers, who have a total of \$26,000 in gold dust, taken from placer mines of Cook's Inlet. The names of the returning miners bringing the large amounts are John Rivers and wife, Helena; Mont. \$6000; James M. Greenleaf, Port Townsend, \$5000; Robert Deane, Seattle, \$4000; John Woods, Gray's Harbor, \$4500; C. Crendon, Fresno, Cal., \$4000; J. Fraiser, Seattle, \$4200; Grant and Cresler, Port Los Angeles, \$8000. All except Grant and Cresler, have been at Cook's Inlet two or three months ago, located claims and washed out \$4000 each.

The Copper River Mining and Transportation Company has completed ar-

rangements for adding a fleet of steam

schooners to its line, which will be running February 7, and dispatch a schooner every fifteen days for Copper Creek and Cook's Inlet.

REPORTS EXAGGERATED.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SEATTLE (Wash.), Nov. 1.—Several returning miners from Cook's Inlet arriving at Port Townsend today on the schooner Norman Sunde reached this city tonight. The miners are reported to have secured about \$20,000 worth of gold brought down on the Sunde. Instead of the \$40,000, they are reported to say that it will not exceed \$10,000. They discredit the statement heretofore made that this year's output of the Cook's Inlet region is \$40,000, and say that to quarter of that figure, they say, would be nearer the truth. The country is not yet developed. While there is no big bonanza on Cook's Inlet, there are plenty of paying claims. Mills Creek is the best of all. The Polly Mining Company located there averaged during the season, with twenty men working, \$1000 a day, or \$20 the man. Claims run all the way from 25 cents to \$50 a day. It is a significant fact that in Cook's Inlet the Klondike fever is raging with violence, and a majority of those coming out intend to go to the Yukon. On her downward trip the schooner encountered a severe storm \$40 on the bar which I got for your cattle." Lynch thereupon said: "I've stolen your cattle for three years, and will continue to do so."

LIKE THE BLYTHE CASE.

Litigation Begun Over the Estate of William Dunphy.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 1.—A proceeding which may prove the beginning of long-drawn-out litigation over the estate of the late millionaire, William Dunphy, was taken in Judge Slack's department of the Superior Court today. This was a petition on behalf of Mrs. Mary Flood, a daughter of William Dunphy, for a citation commanding all the heirs to appear in court on a certain day and assert such claim as they may have in the estate. The citation was issued, fixing Monday, January 10, 1898, as the day for such appearance.

William Dunphy died in September, 1892, leaving an estate valued at \$2,369,128. It consisted of property in San Francisco, a cruise ship valued at 100,000 acres in Nevada, a farm of 15,000 acres near Soledad, an enormous tract of land in Texas, one-half of the Rancho Poso de los Olivos, valued at \$1,000,000, a quartz mine in Fresno county, and various pieces of property in other parts of the State. By his will, William Dunphy left his estate to his widow and daughter, Jennie, as trustees, to hold it in trust in equal shares for his widow, his son, James C. Dunphy, his two daughters, Jennie and Mrs. Flood, and his granddaughter, Viola Piercy.

It was supposed when the petition of Mrs. Flood was prepared that it was an amicable arrangement to determine the respective interests of the several heirs in the estate. But it turns out that Miss Jennie Dunphy, one of the trustees and devisees under the will, may contest the proposed agreement and arrangement, and thus provoke extensive litigation. This suit is to be the first time a petition of this kind has been presented since the Blythe case.

PICACHO MINES.

Senator Dorsey Expresses to Develop Them Extensively.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 1.—Stephen W. Dorsey, former United States Senator from Arkansas and now of Denver, arrived here today from Colorado. About a year ago Dorsey and William Teller, brother of Senator Teller, secured control of a large group of low-grade gold-bearing claims at Picacho, about thirty miles from Yuma, in San Diego county. Last winter they interested English capital in their properties and began development. Senator Dorsey was unwilling to divulge his plans for the future, but he admitted that he hoped to have a large force of miners at work in the Picacho district. His plans also include the erection of a large stamp mill on the Colorado River, not far from the mines.

JACK THE KIDNAPER.

He Attempts to Steal a Girl at Santa Rosa.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SANTA ROSA, Nov. 1.—An attempt was made on Saturday night to abduct Charlotte, the fourteen-year-old daughter of J. C. Martin, a prosperous carpenter and builder of this city who resides on Riley street.

Lita and Charlotte Martin's two daughters, went from the house last night into the back yard to get some wood. After they had been out a few moments, Martin and his wife heard both girls scream, rushing to the door. Martin saw a man running toward the house, and he saw the man running toward the house. He snatched a shawl from her shoulders and was endeavoring to restrain her head as he ran. As soon as the man saw Martin he turned in another direction and escaped in the darkness.

Southern Pacific Inspection.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 1.—A large party of Southern Pacific officials has left here for Colfax, on the Sacramento division of the road, to make a detailed inspection of over 1000 miles of the company's lines on this Coast. The purpose of the examination of the road beds, the stations and the equipment of the different sections and divisions is to make comparisons with conditions found last year, and also to attempt to raise the general standard of the service.

Treaty Will Be Signed.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—It is expected that a treaty for convention between the United States, Russia, and Japan will be formally signed and executed at the State Department during the present week, carrying out the proposition before the Berlin Sea conference for a suspension of pelagic sealing. The conference resumed its sessions at the State Department today, but no official statement was made as to what had been done or the plans in view.

Two Officers Left Behind.

SEATTLE (Wash.), Nov. 1.—When the steamer Portland sailed for San Francisco this afternoon two of her officers were left behind. Assistant Engineer Daniel Donohue disappeared last night, and he is thought to have been present at the burning of the steamer last night, while boarding the steamer last night, fell through a trap door and received serious injuries.

Special Letters Refused.

SANTA CRUZ, Nov. 1.—Judge Smith today refused to grant special letters

on the Martena Castro Dupaux estate

to Alice M. Rosser, on the ground that the Superior Court in 1896 removed M. Elizabeth Peck from office for neglect of duty, and from that order an appeal was taken to the Supreme Court, which is still undetermined. The petitioner asks for special letters, so as to prosecute an action against hundreds of property-owners to quiet title.

Newton's Prospective Fortune.

OAKLAND, Nov. 1.—The attempt of A. H. Newton, an aged man, to burn the Oakland ferry buildings while he was on board, and the resulting fire, may indirectly lead to the recovery of a fortune for himself. It appears that his real name is H. N. Parkhurst, and that there is evidence to sustain his claim that he is heir to \$20,000 worth of property in Lowell, Mass.

Moreton Went Ashore.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 1.—The British ship Moreton, which left Tacoma about three months ago for Delagoa Bay, South Africa, went ashore at the entrance of Lorenzo Marques on Sunday. The news of the disaster was received by the Moreton's Exchange today. The dispatch announced that the vessel was in a bad position. The vessel was loaded with lumber.

A Bride Goes Mad.

OAKLAND, Nov. 1.—Mrs. Bella Tait, a bride of three months, has gone raving mad from homesickness. Such was the official decision of the lunatic asylum today, who ordered her sent to an insane asylum. She came from Oakland to wed her husband who had left her to come to California.

Fish Camp Burned.

SAN RAFAEL, Nov. 1.—A large fire was discovered at the Point San Pedro fish camp this morning, and before help could be secured about \$500 worth of property was destroyed. This is the second fire at this place inside of a month. After the first fire Wong Wo, a Chinese, was arrested for arson and is now waiting trial.

Valley Road Construction.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 1.—The San Joaquin Valley Railroad has let the contract for grading forty miles of railroad from the northern Kern county line into Bakersfield and the work will commence tomorrow. The track is now laid to within five miles of the Kern county line.

San Francisco Customs Receipts.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 1.—The customs duties collected at the port of San Francisco for the month of October amounted to \$222,157.30. This is the largest month's collection since the Dingley tariff went into effect, and is \$100,000 more than the collections for September.

Seattle's Opportunity.

SEATTLE (Wash.), Nov. 1.—At a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce tonight steps were taken to enter the city of Seattle for a prize competition at the Paris Exposition of 1900. Some of the officials of the Chamber of Commerce are asked to enter into competition with it.

Wade Must Pay.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 1.—The Supreme Court has affirmed the judgment in the case of Stephen Wade, found guilty of a felony under promise of marriage in Santa Clara county, and sentenced to pay a fine of \$3000 or be imprisoned one day for every \$1 of the fine.

A Big Trust Mortgage.

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 1.—There was filed today for record a trust mortgage to the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company of San Francisco by the Sacramento Electric, Gas and Railway Company, representing a \$999,375 5-per-cent. \$1000 bonds.

A Pardon for Herrera.

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 1.—Gov. Budd today pardoned Ramon Herrera, now charged with robbery in San Francisco and sentenced to San Quentin for twenty years.

Razors and Pistols Stolen.

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 1.—Kimball and Upson's store was burglarized last night, the chief articles taken being razors and pistols. The loss is about \$200.

Sentenced for Life.

OROVILLE, Nov. 1.—J. S. Cude, who shot and killed Walter Russell in Chico, Cal., today sentenced to prison for life. Cude is 70 years old.

Drank Carbolic Acid.

SAN JOSE, Nov. 1.—Rosa Kell, a domestic aged 24, was found dead today by drinking carbolic acid.

The English Surprised.

[Springfield Republican.] English reviewers have been much struck by the kindly spirit toward the Indians shown by Gen. Miles in his book of reminiscences. Says one writer:

"In England we are not accustomed to look to our military men for sympathetic advice on the treatment of inferior races. Their medicine is mostly confined to liberal administration of the Indian, however, made a special case of hanging. But Gen. Miles speaks as a rule, far more thoughtful and sympathetic than the civil authorities. He is to be commended for his attitude toward the Indians, and his book is a valuable contribution to the history of the Indian race."

It may be added that if the Indians had always been in the hands of men as Gen. Miles and the late Gen. Crook many a disgraceful chapter in our history would never have been written.

Yellow Journalism and Disinfection.

[San Francisco Call.] Inadvertently a yellow journal has promised its readers a boon. The Examiner, after naming certain features in an advertisement, meant to add, "Both free with each number." The style of script employed, however, made this appear as "Both free with each number." Of course the latter intention would be appropriate, especially if accompanied by a liberal supply of disinfectants. The simple method of avoiding contact with yellow journalism is another and approved way of promoting cleanliness.

The Socialist's Friend.

[St. Louis Globe Democrat.] Socialism is rapidly growing in Germany and it is bound to get a footing in the legions of all the States of the empire. It is generated by absolutism, and has doubtless within its ranks in the empire at large hundreds of thousands of men who would belong to some of the more conservative groups if the head of the State were a moderate ruler. Thus the extreme socialism is the enemy of the Kaiser. They need him in their business.

A Mint Farm.

A woman living in Louisiana is supporting herself comfortably on the produce of a farm on which she raises nothing but mint. All the principal hotels and restaurants in New Orleans purchase their mint from her, and she makes enough during the summer months, when juleps and other cooling drinks containing mint are in demand, to enable her to live comfortably through the winter. This is said to be the only farm in the country which is devoted solely to the production of mint.

JACK FROST ON DECK.

COLD WEATHER BRINGS JOY TO THE SUNNY SOUTH.

Yellow Fever Expected to Decrease from Now On—New Cases and Deaths Temporarily Increased. A Patient Kills Himself.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 1.—That from now on the number of yellow fever cases will gradually decrease is the opinion of the Board of Health officials. The anxiously-awaited cold wave arrived here last night and even colder weather is reported for tomorrow. The local forecast officials predicted that frost would fall in the northern part of Louisiana tonight. The cold snap has caused the number of new cases to swell somewhat. It is believed however that tomorrow will show a decided improvement in the situation. The record today is thirty-eight new cases and twelve deaths.

AT MOBILE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] MOBILE (Ala.), Nov. 1.—There were nine new cases of yellow fever here today but no deaths. Throughout the State the temperature is low tonight and frost is predicted in the morning.

AT MEMPHIS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] MEMPHIS, Nov. 1.—The weather conditions here are favorable and there were but two new cases of yellow fever today, and one death.

A PATIENT'S SUICIDE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 1.—During a delirium, while suffering from yellow fever, this morning, Francis McNulty, cashier of the American Express Company, committed suicide by hanging himself. At 10 o'clock this afternoon twenty-two new cases and seven deaths are announced by the Board of Health.

AN UPWARD JUMP.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 1.—At 11 o'clock today the number of deaths from yellow fever took a leap; seven had been reported up to that hour, against nine new cases.

By Lee Linn's Vain Appeal.

ST. PAUL, Nov. 1.—Judge Lachen to-day refused to entertain the appeal made by Lee Linn, a Chinese, from an order of deportation issued by Court Commissioner McCafferty. The Judge held that the law under which the appeal was made was unconstitutional. The order of deportation was provisional and rested on the adoption of a treaty which was then under consideration by the United States, and as the treaty was not adopted the law was without effect.

Strawboard Trust.

ANDERSON (Ind.), Nov. 1.—The formation of an anti-trust trust controlling every plant in the country has been effected, and will begin operations at once. It includes the twelve independent plants and those owned by the American Strawboard Company. The last two to be brought in were the Carthage, Ind., and the Peoria, Ill., plants.

Better Than the Toughest Method.

[San Francisco Bulletin.] Sir Edwin Arnold is said to have first married his Japanese wife in the old fashion of her own people, by simply drinking a cup of tea with her. The plan possesses advantages, in point of convenience over that of being united by a briny tugboat captain, and it seems not impossible that it may be just as legal.

The Glad Hand from San Jose.

[The Mercury.] The Mercury gladly shakes hands with the Los Angeles Times on the proposition that Californians should be loyal to California, without reserve, and should work in harmony to promote the best interests of the whole State. Each method, however, the great duty of this great State be fully realized.

Booming Strikers.

[Brooklyn Eagle.] Keir Hardie, emulous of being known as the Delag of England, proposes that, in order to help the striking engineers









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## EVE OF BATTLE

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Ducey took a seat among the audience. There were speeches in German and English. Father Ducey was requested to address the meeting. He did so and during his remarks said: "The recent shooting at Hazelton was murder. I say again it was murder in the eyes of God and justice. But capital is back of it and there will be no legal punishment for these murderers here."

Republican Chairman Quigg dropped into the hotel for a few minutes, but when informed that State Chairman Hays had been in the city, he did not go. The Hoffman House lobby the meeting was 2 to 1 on Van Wyck, whose supporters seemed to have triumphed. While Republicans were accepting bets occasionally they made none. Low men were on hand and placed several wagers. Democratic Chairman Danforth tonight left for his home to vote.

**TAMMANY'S MANIFESTO.**  
Sheehan Predicts an Overwhelming Victory for the Silver Republicans.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)  
NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—John C. Sheehan, leader of Tammany Hall, has issued a statement in which he says: "The great municipal contest is about to close. It will be memorable in the history of American politics. It will result in a great Democratic victory. In the days of Thomas Jefferson, the Democratic party in this contest has been arrayed against the party who believe that the masses of the people have no voice in the selection of their officers. It has to fight against the greed of the party of monopolists, with the Federal administration at its head. For nearly three years the city of New York has been governed by a party which has for its motto: 'I am a holder than thou,' and which has given us the most wasteful, corrupt and corrupt administration that the city of New York has ever experienced. 'Unquestionably' the results tomorrow night will show the city of New York to be a Democratic city. The canvass, and will result in a crushing defeat for the enemies of the Democratic party and the enemies of the common people in the triumphal election of Robert A. Van Wyck and the rest of the Democratic ticket." The Executive Committee of the Jeffersonian Democratic Party met today and issued an address.

**IN NEW YORK STATE.**  
Situation is Mixed and Forecasts are Hard to Make.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)  
ALBANY (N. Y.), Nov. 1.—In every municipality of the State a vigorous campaign is being waged for the municipal control, and the blanket ballot, instead of proving a deterrent to the independent nomination, has led, seemingly, to the creation of more parties than have ever before held place in the election of the city. Things, enough in themselves to claim all the attention of the voters, are further multiplied by the adoption of a campaign for Judge of the Court of Appeals that has started the two great parties to very active efforts in the endeavor to gain much to the place for the candidate as to demonstrate this off year of State politics that the party of one or the other is dominant. The contest for the control of the Assembly is influenced in a great measure by the bitterness of the local campaigns, and forecasts of some months ago, and forecasts of some months ago, are not in effect now. Particularly in this is the Greater New York district, where the splitting up of the party has led to the election of some Republicans, and in the Republican district, where the splitting up of the party has led to the election of some Democrats. The result with any degree of certainty would be impossible, but it is claimed that in the entire State the Democrats will obtain thirty members over the number of last year.

**IN PENNSYLVANIA.**  
The Democratic Chairman Audaciously Claims a Plurality.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)  
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**A Peculiar Remedy.**  
Something About the New Discovery for Curing Dyspepsia.

The Rev. F. L. Bell, a highly-esteemed minister, Westport, Cayuga county, N. Y., in a recent letter writes as follows: "There has never been anything that I have taken that has relieved the dyspepsia from which I have suffered for ten years, except the new remedy called Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. Since taking them I have had no distress at all after eating, and again after long years have slept well. Rev. F. L. Bell, Westport, N. Y., formerly Italia, Colo."

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indications are that it will continue tonight and that there will be clear and cold weather tomorrow, for the election. Although the rain has been a long drought, throughout the Ohio Valley, the smaller streams are high tonight and there will be bad roads in the rural districts tomorrow. Some predict that the rains will prevent the farmers from working and thus secure a large vote as though fairer weather prevailed.

This is what is known as an "off year" in Ohio. The years following Presidential elections are called "off years." Following the election of Hayes in 1876, the Democrats carried Ohio in 1877 for Bishop as Governor and a Legislature that made George H. Pendleton Democratic Senator. In 1884, the Republicans carried the State in 1885 for Foraker for Governor and Sherman for Senator. Following the election of Harrison in 1888, the Democrats carried the State in 1889 for Campbell for Governor and secured a Legislature that made Bruce Senter. Following the election of Cleveland in 1892 came the triumph of McKinley for Governor and the return of Sherman to the Senate.

The Democrats now say that, following the election of McKinley in 1896, history will repeat itself on the record of "off years."

The Democrats are claiming Hamilton county by a large plurality and on account of its fourteen members of the Legislature they also claim a majority in the body. The election of a United States Senator. Republicans claim a large plurality on their State ticket and that they will have a majority in the Legislature without Hamilton county. The Democrats here tonight are offering bets even on electing their candidates for the Legislature in Hamilton, but they concede that the result for the county offices will be close.

**IN COLORADO.**  
Voters Confused by the Great Number of Tickets.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)  
DENVER (Colo.), Nov. 1.—Although there are but three candidates for Judge of the Supreme Court, the only State office to be filled tomorrow, the ballot to be voted in this city contains twenty-two different tickets, bearing the names of nominees for county offices. Parties with no standard, without the formality of a convention, forced the voters to vote on the ballot for but one purpose—to confuse the voters. Many voters, disgusted with the state of affairs, declare they will remain away from the polls tomorrow. The contest between Charles D. Hay (Rep.) and William H. Gabbert (Dem.) for Judge of the Supreme Court appears to be very close. Even money is being wagered on the result in the poolrooms tonight.

In this county the real fight is between the Silver Republican ticket, most of the candidates upon which are also upon the Taxpayers' ticket, and the Civic Federation ticket, which was endorsed by the Democrats. From present appearances some of the candidates upon each of these tickets will be elected.

**SITUATION IN IOWA.**  
Republicans Can Lose Votes and Still Win Out.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)  
DES MOINES (Iowa), Nov. 1.—There has been no change in the political situation here during the past two days. The headquarters of both parties were practically closed today. The Republicans, who can lose 5000 votes as compared with last year, counting 25,000 only as the Democratic loss, and they will still have the 40,000 plurality claimed by their chairman.

Chairman Walsh of the Democratic committee is claiming that his party will lose no votes, and will gain some from the gold Democrats. He says the Republicans last year polled 70,000 in excess of their normal vote, which was 22,000 at high water mark until last year. He thinks those 70,000 votes were largely gold Democrats and that those will this year mostly vote for their party ticket. The gold Democrats claim 15,000 to 20,000 votes. The Prohibitionists claim 20,000. The fact is that after the high tide of last year, the gold Democrats will have no telling what will happen this year.

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**NATIONAL PARKS.**  
Better Protection Needed in California Reservations.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.)  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Complaint has reached the Secretary of the Interior of violation of the rules governing the Yosemite National Park and the Sequoia and General Grant National Parks in California. Considerable game has been destroyed by trappers and market hunters.

The depredations are said to have taken place mainly in the Hetch Hetchy Valley. It was to prevent, as far as possible, this violation of the park rules during the close season in California, that permits to carry firearms within the park boundaries were refused. Notwithstanding the adoption of stringent measures, firearms have been smuggled in by campers. It is said that in addition to the killing of game, fish have been destroyed by the use of explosives.

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## THE WEATHER.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Nov. 1.—At 5 a. m. the barometer, reduced to sea level, showed 30.10; at 5 p. m., 30.05. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 64 deg. and 69 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a. m., 47 per cent.; 5 p. m., 59 per cent. Wind, 5 a. m., north, velocity 5 miles; 5 p. m., west, velocity 4 miles. Maximum temperature, 85 deg.; minimum temperature, 54 deg. Character of weather, 5 a. m., clear; 5 p. m., partly cloudy. Barometer reduced to sea level.

## The Times

ALL ALONG THE LINE.

The Board of Trade and other public bodies are receiving many letters of inquiry from persons in the East who wish to come to Los Angeles. From a frost-bitten town in Minnesota comes a letter saying that thirty persons will leave there soon, and that the whole population wants to come to Los Angeles, but cannot sell out. Everything indicates that a vast number of people will come to Southern California this winter.

Populist Barlow and eclectic statesman J. Mary Ann, who were thicker than three in a bed during the campaign, fell out over the leaves and fishes, and they told their troubles to Judge Shaw. J. Mary Ann swore that Barlow owed him \$4000, and Barlow swore that he owed only \$170. Judge Shaw said he was unable to decide which of the two eminent statesmen was the more truthful, but he made a pretty close guess and awarded J. Mary Ann \$170.

A great mental feat has been accomplished by Justice Owens. In six short weeks he has succeeded in untangling the bewildering legal complications of a battery case and has arrived at the profound conclusion that Pawnbroker de Groot did not commit battery upon a Herald reporter whom he invited into his shop for the purpose of firing him out. Justice Owens, it is presumed, did not figure this out all by himself, for he had the case "under advisement." It does not appear in the learned opinion who advised him.

Mayor Snyder's irrepressible desire to veto something, it doesn't matter what, meets with a heartless lack of sympathy among the Councilmen. As a matter of common humanity they ought to pass an ordinance some day for the express purpose of allowing the Mayor to veto it, and then they should sustain his veto. Any old ordinance would do. It might provide that policemen shall wear skirts, that all burglaries shall be committed by daylight, that pedestrians shall not walk on the sidewalks, or anything else that would afford material for a thesis from the city's chief executive. It is certainly in a shame that His Honor is not permitted to enjoy, at least once, the chief prerogative of his office.

When a railroad wants some special privilege or franchise, it is a public enterprise in which all good citizens should be interested. When citizens want to know what the railroad is doing in matters affecting the public, it becomes at once a private concern and stands upon its dignity. A Santa Fe official, a few days ago, refused to name the shipping point of a carload of fruit from a yellow fever district, and declared that the railroad's business was none of the public's business. As the quarantine officers promptly made it public business, the official changed his "public-hoofed" tune. But there is more than one way to kill a cat, and the official calmly declared that he didn't know the shipping point of freight hauled over his line.

## SERVICE CHEVRONS.

**Military Insignia for the Mail Carriers.**  
Postmaster-General Garry has issued an order that letter-carriers shall hereafter wear stripes and chevrons upon their coats, after the manner of soldiers. Carriers who have served five years shall be entitled to wear a half-chevron of black cloth just above the cuff. For every additional five years of service another stripe shall be added. Time spent in substitute service is not to be taken into account. All substitute carriers to distinguish them from regular carriers not yet arrived at the dignity of stripes, are to wear the letter S in black cloth on either sleeve.

## TERRITORY ENLARGED.

Postal Inspector Flint has had Arizona added to the territory under his charge. This gives him the supervision of California, Nevada and Arizona.

## PERSONALS.

W. F. Bowers of San Francisco is at the Van Nuys.  
W. H. Taylor and wife of Livermore are at the Hollenbeck.  
Alice N. Evans of Circleville, O., is registered at the Hollenbeck.  
E. H. Adams of New York City, accompanied by his wife, is at the Hollenbeck.  
B. E. Williams of Los Angeles is registered at the Ebbitt House, Washington, D. C.  
George E. Pratt and George H. Curtis of the Johannesburg Milling and Water Company are in town for a few days.  
H. L. Jones of the Chicago Chronicle is in the city. He will shortly return East, carrying with him a Los Angeles girl as his bride.  
C. H. Wilkins, the chief of the Brotherhood of Railway Conductors, is at the Hollenbeck. He comes from Chicago and will be here several days.  
John I. Sabin, president and general manager of the Sunset Telephone Company, with his daughters, Misses Pearl and Irene Sabin, arrived from San Francisco last night and are at the Van Nuys. Mr. Sabin and daughters come to Los Angeles to visit Mrs. Sabin, who has been living at the Van Nuys some time, regaining her health.  
James L. Flood of San Francisco arrived at the Van Nuys last night with Clarence M. Mackay and P. M. Ludwig of New York City and Eugene Garber, T. Carver Friedman and Nat G. Messer, all of San Francisco. The party have been the guests of Mr. Flood at his Santa Margarita ranch in San Diego county for the past ten days and are homeward bound. They will leave for San Francisco today.

## THE TIMES ALMANAC.

From now until January 1, 1938, this almanac will be given free with every prepaid three-months' subscription to the Daily Times, or with every prepaid (\$1.50) yearly subscription to the Saturday Times and Weekly Mirror, or upon the receipt of 25 cents cash. Will be mailed, postage paid, to any address.

## Society.

The Monday Musicales Club was entertained yesterday afternoon by Miss Dora James of Constance street. The programme was as follows: Violin duet (Mozart), the Misses James and Eloise Lemon; piano solo, "The Evening Star" (Wagner-Liszt), Mrs. J. V. Byrne; violin solos, Spanish Dance (Rehfeld) and "Canzonetta" (Ehrhardt), Miss Mullins; piano solo, "La Filleuse" (Raff), Miss Conger; soprano solo, "Night" (M. R. Lang), Mrs. James Burdette; contralto solo, "Call Me Back" (Denza), Mrs. J. J. Schallert; violin solos, "Berceuse" (Faure), and "Mazurka de Concert" (Gustave Bach), Mrs. Macneil, accompanied by Miss Blanche Rogers; vocal solos, "Oh, Swallow" (Foote) and "Dear Love, When in Thy Arms" (Chadwick), Miss Jennie Winston; soprano solo, "Love's Bazaar" (Von Stutzman), Mrs. Kennedy. Besides the club members, the guests were Misses Charles Waterman, W. J. Jamison, Kennedy, Huebner, the Misses George Strong, Lemon, War-nock and Delphine Todd.

An entertainment will be given at the chapel of the First Presbyterian Church Friday evening under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Society, for the benefit of the kindergarten. The programme will include a farce entitled "Dearest Mama," orchestral selections, a piano duet by Mrs. J. S. Vosburg and Miss Blanche Rogers, recitations by the Misses Maudie Murphy and Mabel Rogers, vocal solo by Mrs. James Burdette, cello solo by Miss Maudie Rogers, and a selection by Mr. Tanner.

The literary section of the Ebell will meet next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at the club house on Broadway. The plan of study this season includes only living writers, reviews of their works, biographical sketches and informal discussion of the subject matter presented from week to week. The section will be led by the curator, Mrs. George D. Ruddy, who has enlisted some of the best talent in the society to read the various papers. Rudyard Kipling, and other novelists, as well as leaders of public opinion like Gladstone, Morley and Justin McCarthy. Next week the afternoon will be devoted to Anthony Hope and his popular stories, and the literature section and current-events sections will unite in the attractive programme.

**NOTES AND PERSONALS.**  
Mrs. Charles T. Parsons and Mrs. I. B. Newton returned last Friday from a six weeks' trip to Honolulu.  
J. G. Easton, who has been in Denver, Colo., for the last four years, will arrive home Thursday, to remain permanently.  
Miss George Strong of Whittier is the guest of Mrs. J. S. Vosburg for the week.  
Mrs. Weldon and daughter May of San Francisco, but formerly of this city, have come from the North intending to spend about two months with their Los Angeles friends.

## ENLARGED SUGAR REFINERY.

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A contract was signed here yesterday by the Los Alamitos Sugar Company with E. H. Dyer & Co. of Cleveland, O., for the immediate enlargement of the best sugar refinery from 461 tons to 1000 tons daily capacity. The machinery to be placed in the factory will be manufactured by the Kilby Manufacturing Company of Cleveland, and will duplicate the present plant, which was made by that company. Mr. Kilby was present yesterday when the contract was signed.

The first season's run of the refinery has just ended. It developed a capacity of 100 tons per day in excess of that claimed for it by its designers.  
Gus Dyer, one of the designers of the new American process used, said in explanation of the unexpected capacity developed: "It has had much to do with the purchase last month by W. A. Clark of thirty square miles of adjacent lands for the refining company and with order for enlargement. It is principally due to an even adjustment of the capacities of the various parts of the process of refining. In both the German and French processes the capacities for clarifying, evaporating and crystallizing are not equal, and the weakest link measures the strength of the whole chain, you know."  
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Los Angeles has a new patrol wagon. The new wagon isn't really and truly "new," it being an old wagon fixed up and made resplendent with paint and varnish, but it pleases the eye, despite the fact that the left hind wheel is badly "dished."  
One improvement, worthy of more than mention, is the change from one horse to a team. Two sorrel colts were placed yesterday in the new stalls, which have been fitted up in the basement of the station, and these two today make their initial trip on regular duty in the freshly-painted wagon. To Patrol Driver McKenzie and Patrol Officer Robinson has been given the honor of driving and accompanying the new wagon.

## Patents and Pensions.

**[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]**  
**WASHINGTON (D. C.) Oct. 27.**—Patents were granted to California inventors today as follows: Christ Christensen, East Oakland, voting machine; Henry S. Grace and A. D. Reynolds, San Francisco, can-labeling machine; Francis M. Graham, San Jose, air compressor; William Lambert, Sacramento, bicycle handle-bar grip; Ertell W. Lincoln, Pasadena, pedal for cycles; John B. Rogers and W. H. Hall, San Francisco, machine for indelibly marking values on checks; Joseph H. Theimer, San Francisco, reversing gear; James M. Trotter, Alhambra, motor for vehicles.  
John J. Gallman of Fullerton, Cal., was today granted a patent on a design for can-opener. The Rosestein Cigar Company of Los Angeles was today granted a trade mark on a brand of cigars. David D. Ogilvie of Lee, Nev., was today granted a patent on a new device.

Pensions were granted to California today as follows: Original—Jacob B. Miller of Los Angeles; Henry S. Stoddard, Shasta; Thomas Rogers, Veterans' Home, Napa; Charles F. Harrington, Oakland; John F. Reiff, Oakland. Restoration and increase—Daniel H. Parsons, Santa Ana. Renewal and increase—Alexander McCall, San Francisco; William H. Barrett, Jamul. Original widow—Lavina A. Parsons, Santa Ana; Margaret A. Sloper, Petaluma.

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Mayor Snyder Turned Down Once More—Bond Election Ordered. Fire Hose Bids.

## NOT MUCH IN IT FOR BROOKS.

## THE SUIT AGAINST CONGRESSMAN BARLOW DECIDED.

## A Grand Jury Chosen in Department One—Sessions Charge Against Three Local Business Men.

An ordinance was adopted by the Council yesterday prohibiting all hitching in the business district between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m. It also provides that teams, vehicles and animals shall not be allowed to stand on the streets between the hours named, unless under the immediate charge of some person. The latter provision does not take effect as to hackmen and expressmen until January 1, 1898.

Mayor Snyder again attempted a veto message yesterday, with the usual result. His veto was overridden by unanimous vote of the Council.

The ordinance for the bond election was passed, the date of the election being fixed as December 7.

Judge Shaw decided the Brooks-Barlow suit yesterday by ordering judgment for Brooks for \$100. Brooks sued Barlow for \$500, for money alleged to have been advanced to defray the latter's expenses in his contest for Congress, and legal services. At the trial Barlow admitted having obtained \$10 from Brooks and expressed willingness to pay it.

A grand jury was drawn in Department One yesterday. In his instructions, Judge Smith warned the jury not to devote its time to investigating frivolous matters, but to close up its work as soon as possible.

Mrs. Beckie Burkhardt has brought suit against Charles Christensen, C. A. Runels, Minnie M. Runels, and Loren Mershon, charging them with having induced her to exchange personal property for a half interest in a mortgage and note alleged to be fraudulent.

## [AT THE CITY HALL.]

## HIS HONOR SNUBBED.

## ONE MORE UNSUCCESSFUL EFFORT TO MAKE HIMSELF FELT.

## Council Unanimously Overrides His Veto—Ordinance Passed for the Bond Election—A Hitching Ordinance Adopted—Bids Received for Fire Hose.

Veto messages have an irresistible fascination for Mayor Snyder. Even the harsh lessons of experience have failed to teach him that to persist in making such a habit of it is a snub at the hands of the Council. Nevertheless two results are achieved whenever His Honor indulges in his penchant for opposing municipal legislation.

The first is the instant restoration of harmony in the Council. Discords are forgotten, party lines are ignored, and the Councilmen rise as one man to sit upon the city's chief executive.

The second result accomplished is that Mr. Snyder's vetoes serve as a much needed reminder to the Mayor and the nominal head of the city government.

One more illustration of these facts was afforded yesterday when an ordinance that was passed last Monday was returned to the Council "without approval." The comedy that has been so often enacted recently is being materially increased by the fact that the Councilmen took occasion to administer a caustic rebuke to the Mayor and intimated in no uncertain terms that his message was an impertinence. The nine Councilmen then unanimously passed the ordinance over the Mayor's veto.

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An ordinance for the bond election was passed, the date being fixed at December 7.

The new bids for the fire hose contracts were opened and referred to the Fire Commissioners. Specifications were adopted for the lighting contract.

## THE MORNING SESSION.

The morning session opened with the usual routine. Reports were made by officials. The City Engineer presented ordinances of intention for grading streets, as follows: Hoover street, from sixteenth to Washington street, alley in block D, Bonnie Brae tract; Wilcox street, from Shatto to Sixth streets; Avenue 22, from Downey avenue to Avenue 24; Washington street, from Central to Compton avenue; also final ordinance to establish the grade on Amelia street from Commercial to Turner streets. All of these ordinances were passed.

In the matter of the Ninth and Kohler street storm water for which the City Engineer was directed to devise a remedy, he recommended that "the necessary right-of-way be secured across private property and that a 24-inch cement-pipe storm drain be laid from a point just west of the Ninth street to the south line of Twelfth street, at its intersection with Paloma street. This would discharge the storm water down Paloma street, which is the natural drainage outlet for the district." This recommendation was referred to the Board of Public Works.

The proceedings to sewer Newton street between Central avenue and Tennessee street were abandoned, on motion of Grider.

The report of the Health Officer on the bad condition of Flower street between Fourth and Sixth streets, due to the lack of drainage to carry off storm waters, was read. Mathews offered a resolution that the report be referred to a special committee of three, and the City Engineer, to devise some means of remedying the evil. President Silver appointed Mathews, Baker and Nickell as the committee.

## NEW FIRE APPARATUS.

The recommendation of the Fire Commissioners that the city purchase

two new fire engines was referred to the Finance Committee, after a brief debate, in the course of which it was observed that it was a foregone conclusion that the committee must report adversely.

The plans and specifications adopted by the Fire Commissioners for the expenditures to be made when the new fire engine have been issued were presented to the Council and approved. Chief Moore was called in and asked whether one or both of the two new engines which the city had been asked to purchase could not be paid for from the proceeds of the bonds. He replied that one and perhaps both might be paid for in this way. As the Fire Commission had been liberal in its estimate, he thought it possible that there might be a sufficient surplus to purchase several engines.

The oil inspector reported the work he had done since September 27. He also reported that he had collected in October license fees to the amount of \$989.327 being delinquent for the current quarter.

## HE TRIES IT AGAIN.

The following message from the Mayor was then read:

"To the Honorable City Council, Gentlemen: The inclosed ordinance entitled 'An ordinance to amend section 15 of the charter of the city of Los Angeles providing for the number of persons to be employed in certain departments of the city government of the city of Los Angeles' is hereby submitted to you for your consideration."

"I refer you to my message of March 5, 1897. The conditions which I predicted would prevail as a result of placing the appointive power in the hands of the Council, have become a fact. The Board of Health, as an ordinance of your honorable body knows, has been, and is at this time, badly crippled by the discharge of its duties by reason of the fact that it has been usurped over the deputies in the department."

The ordinance returned by the Mayor was passed last week. It provides that the Milk Inspector of the health department shall in future be a practical butcher, instead of a veterinarian. The ordinance was the result of a conference between the Board of Health and the Finance Committee.

As soon as the veto message had been read, the Council promptly prepared to administer the usual snubbing to the Mayor. Before the vote was taken Toll rose to a question of privilege.

"I do not believe," he said, "with warmth, 'that such a message as this should be permitted to pass without comment, even though it comes from the chief executive of the city. It represents to the people that the health department is seriously crippled by dissensions and strife. It gives to the public the impression that the affairs of the department are not properly administered. The facts do not warrant the Mayor's insinuations. The department is entirely harmonious with the possible exception of one deputy. The Council has proved its readiness to discharge inefficient employees. I am surprised that Mayor Snyder should continue to harp upon such charges as he makes. It is a gross injustice to the Council. There is one very vital reason why the Mayor should let this matter rest. There was a time when the Mayor was a member of the Council or the Mayor should make appointments in the health department, but the question was taken into the courts and it was settled that the Council alone has this power. The Mayor should submit to the decree of the court. Why, I should think His Honor would be afraid of being arrested if he says the decree of the court was wrong. I feel called on to make this correction. I consider the Mayor's message is in bad taste and wrong, and that the Council should be relieved from blame which it has not deserved."

Hutchinson followed in the same vein and said that if there were insubordinates in the health department it was the Mayor's duty to name them instead of making such general and indiscriminate charges. "We are called all sorts of names," concluded the Populist statesman, plaintively, "and one journal calls us freebooters, but we do not wish to be subjected to such a censor. Hutchinson then moved that the ordinance be passed notwithstanding the veto.

Without further debate this motion was carried, everyone of the nine Councilmen voting in the affirmative.

## A TEMPORARY VACANCY.

One result of the Mayor's veto is to leave the office of Meat and Milk Inspector vacant for a few days. The resignation of George K. Dowd, the late incumbent, took effect yesterday, and no appointment can be made before next Monday under the new ordinance which requires that all municipal officers be nominated by the Council and appointed by the Mayor. Among them is Adolph Brun, in whose behalf petitions were presented yesterday from the Journeymen Butchers' Association, and from business men. Several of the Councilmen have candidates, but Hughes still appears to be in the lead.

## FOUR PER CENT. BONDS.

The Finance Committee presented its report on the bond election, and its recommendation that the rate of interest upon the proposed fire and school bonds be fixed at 4 per cent. The recommendation was adopted. The ordinance providing for the bond election was passed, the date of the election being fixed as December 7.

## LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

City Engineer Dockweiler presented a request for eight days' leave of absence. He stated that he desired to go to San Francisco to spend a week with Thomas Price, the expert whose testimony played such an important part in the Main street paving case. The City Engineer explained that Mr. Price is about to make a series of asphalt tests and that information would be of great value to the city.

The request was granted. A ten-days' extension of time was granted to the City Engineer in order to complete street work on Twelfth street, between San Pedro and Tennessee streets.

## BRIDGE PAVING CONTRACT.

The Bridge committee recommended that the contract for repaving the roadways of the bridges at Aliso street, Main street, Ninth street, Seventh street, Walnut street, Pasadena avenue, Macy street, First street, be awarded to Frank C. Smith, whose bid was 64 cents per square foot. The report was adopted.

The report of the Board of Public Works, published last week, was adopted with some slight changes. The request of the Better City Government League that no new extensions of franchises be granted without first giving a hearing to all parties interested, was granted.

## BIDS FOR FIRE HOSE.

The new bids for supplying the city with 5000 feet of fire hose were opened yesterday and referred to the Fire Commissioners. There were as follows: The price named being the rate per lineal foot.

The Crane Company proposed 56 cents for the contract for repaving the roadways of the bridges at Aliso street, Main street, Ninth street, Seventh street, Walnut street, Pasadena avenue, Macy street, First street, be awarded to Frank C. Smith, whose bid was 64 cents per square foot. The report was adopted.

The W. C. Furry Company proposed Dragon brand, 75 cents. The Union Hardware and Metal Company proposed Paragon brand, 80 cents.

The California Hardware Company proposed Masfitt hose, 80 cents. The Cass & Smurr Stove Company

proposed Ray State brand, 80 cents; Tiger brand, 70 cents.

Most of these bids are substantially the same as before. The Furry Company, however, has reduced its bid 5 cents per foot in the hope of securing the entire contract.

It is said by officers of the fire department that only two of the brands offered by the bidders have proved entirely satisfactory. When the Fire Commissioners awarded the contract a few weeks ago, they made little investigation upon this subject and divided the contract among four of the bidders. Firemen who have had practical experience with the different varieties of hose, say that there is a great difference in their strength and endurance.

## OTHER BIDS RECEIVED.

The only bid for supplying the fire department with rolled barley and bran was that of W. A. Joyner. He proposed to furnish both rolled barley and bran for 95 cents per 100 pounds. His bid was referred to the Fire Commissioners.

Bids to improve Lucas avenue from the southerly line of that portion of Fifth street lying east of Lucas avenue to the south line of Fourth street, were received as follows:

W. L. Riley proposed: Grading and graveling, 2 1/2 cents per lineal foot; curb, 15 cents per lineal foot; gutters, 15 cents per lineal foot.

Robert Sherer proposed: Grading and graveling, \$1 per lineal foot; curb, 15 cents per lineal foot; gutters, 15 cents per lineal foot.

For sidewalking Orchard avenue from Adams to Twenty-ninth street, the following bids were received:

L. Brodie, 11 cents; Frank Gillespie, 9 1/2 cents; A. L. Church, 9 1/2 cents.

For sidewalking Sixth street from Maple avenue to Wall street, the following proposals per square foot were received:

Frank Gillespie, 11 1/2 cents; L. Brodie, 12 cents; A. L. Church, 11 1/2 cents.

## MOTIONS.

On motion by Mathews, the City Engineer, was instructed to present ordinance to lay a cement sidewalk six feet wide on the west side of Pearl street, between Fourth and Fifth streets.

Mathews moved that the Street Superintendent be instructed to repair the crossings on Hope street, corner of Seventh street on north side, and on corner of Seventh street and Bixel street. The motion was carried.

Mathews moved that the Street Superintendent be instructed to have the property-owners repair the sidewalk on the north side of Fifth street, between Olive and Grand avenues. The motion was carried.

On motion by Ashman the water company was directed to repair leaking fire hydrants at the corner of Second street and Central avenue and at the corner of Sixth and Los Angeles streets.

On motion by Nickell the Street Superintendent was instructed to notify the Los Angeles Terminal Railway Company to raise its tracks to the official grade of the street where they cross Pasadena avenue.

On motion by Hutchinson the Street Superintendent was directed to fill with gravel the holes in Alameda street at the crossings of Aliso and Commercial streets.

Hutchinson moved that the Street Superintendent be instructed to notify the Pasadena Electric and Light Company to divert its tracks at the intersection of May and Alameda streets. It was so ordered.

On motion by Toll the City Engineer was instructed to present an ordinance of intention to establish the grade of Hough street from Jefferson to the north city limits.

## THE HITCHING ORDINANCE.

In the interval between the morning and afternoon sessions the Board of Public Works met to consider the terms of the proposed hitching ordinance, the other Councilmen and the City Attorney being present. Chairman Blanchard at first asked the question whether it would be held behind closed doors, but as there appeared to be no reason for such a proceeding beyond the natural aversion of the average Councilman to acquainting his constituents with his actions, the doors were finally thrown open.

C. C. Wright, attorney for the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, stated that the only material point of dispute between himself and Jud Rush, the attorney for the hackmen, was whether hacks should be permitted to stand on the streets in the day time. Rush said that he did not represent the hackmen, and, in his opinion, they did not require the same protection that should be accorded to hackmen.

To this position President Silver took prompt exception, declaring that no such distinction could be made. Several of the Councilmen voiced the same opinion.

It was finally agreed that the matter should be referred to the City Attorney, with instructions to draft an ordinance and present it at the afternoon session of the Council.

## AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Hitching Ordinance Finally Adopted.

When the Council convened in the afternoon, Baker moved that the hearing upon the widening of Bellevue avenue be continued one week. It was so ordered.

The street-sprinkling contract of A. P. Cross and his bond for \$10,000 were approved.

The report of the Gas and Light Committee upon the specifications for the lighting contract was presented. Toll asked to be excused from voting as he was not present at the meeting of the committee when the specifications were agreed upon. His request was granted. Upon the roll call President Silver and Hutchinson voted against approval of the report, all the other Councilmen voting to approve.

The final ordinance for sewerage Twenty-eighth street from Figueroa to a point 165 feet west of Grand avenue, was passed.

The City Attorney presented ordinance as follows, both of them being adopted:

An ordinance prohibiting the construction or operation of any well within the city limits of Los Angeles.

An ordinance for the widening of Jefferson street between Vermont avenue and the west city boundary.

FIRE ENGINES MUST BE INSPECTED.

In the controversy between the Board of Examining Engineers and the fire department, first blood was scored yesterday by the engineers. The City Attorney reported as follows:

engineers of the fire department subject to the provisions of the city ordinance. C. B. Hooker, of the fire department, said that he had asked one week further time.

The desired extension of time was granted.

## THE HITCHING ORDINANCE.

Pursuant to the instructions given earlier in the day, the City Attorney presented a hitching ordinance. In its original form it failed to meet the views of the Councilmen and numerous amendments were offered. Hutchinson moved a re-reference to the Board of Public Works, but this was happily averted by Nickell, who said that the board had had the matter long enough.

As finally adopted the ordinance is as follows:

"Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person to hitch any horse, mule or other animal, or to leave standing on in the immediate care of some person any horse, buggy, wagon, or other vehicle with or without animals attached upon any public street of the city of Los Angeles herein described, except as follows: Between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 o'clock p. m. Said streets being as follows, to wit: Main street from Sixth street to Commercial street; Broadway from Sixth street to Temple street; First street from Sixth street to First street; Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth and Sixth streets from Broadway to Main street; Court street from Main street to Spring street; Market street from Main street to Spring street.

"Section 2. It shall be unlawful for any person having the charge or control of any horse or horses, mule or mules, or any animal or vehicle used for hire, to suffer or permit such horse or horses, mule or mules, or any animal or vehicle to stand upon any street or portion of a street described in section 1 hereof, between the hours of 7 o'clock a. m. and 6 o'clock p. m. while waiting for employment. This section shall take effect January 1, 1898."

Section 3 exempts the Chief and Assistant Chief of the fire department while in the discharge of their duties from the provisions of the ordinance. Section 4 provides that violations of the ordinance shall be deemed a misdemeanor not exceeding \$500 or by imprisonment not exceeding six months, or both.

On the final motion to adopt the ordinance, the vote stood 6 to 3, all the Councilmen voting in the affirmative except Grider, Ashman and Hutchinson.

## LAT THE COURT HOUSE.

## BARLOW MUST PUT UP.

BUT NOT SO MUCH MONEY AS BROOKS DEMANDED.

Judge Shaw Decides That Brooks is Entitled to \$170 of the \$4000 Claimed, and That His Legal Services Were of No Value.

Judge Shaw has decided that J. Marion Brooks is entitled to some of the money loaned to Congressman Charles A. Barlow with which to make his campaign last fall, but there is a difference of opinion as to the amount of the judgment and the sum sued for. The claim upon which Brooks brought suit was \$4000, half of which was charged to legal services rendered during the campaign. Barlow admitted having borrowed various amounts of money from Brooks amounting to \$170. He announced his willingness to pay that sum, and Judge Shaw will now allow him the privilege of doing so.

In his decision handed down yesterday afternoon, Judge Shaw says: "On motion by Toll the City Engineer was instructed to present an ordinance of intention to establish the grade of Hough street from Jefferson to the north city limits."

The defendant in his answer denies that plaintiff rendered any services for him otherwise than as a citizen and voter in support of defendant as a candidate for Congress during the general canvass preceding the election of November, 1896. The evidence of both plaintiff and defendant sustains this denial. There was, according to the evidence of plaintiff, some talk of suits for libel against certain newspapers during the campaign, but it is quite clear from the whole of plaintiff's testimony that, even if it is true that there was a consultation between the two parties as to the advisability of beginning one or more such actions, nevertheless the object of such proposed proceedings was to prevent defendant from vindicating the character of the defendant, but solely to further his prospects as a candidate. It never was the intention to prosecute any such cases. They were to be begun solely as a political effect, as a part of the conduct of the political canvass on behalf of the defendant. The defendant, however, testifies that no such consultation occurred and that he never employed plaintiff to begin any such suits, nor received any advice about them. I am of opinion that the jury was warranted in giving its verdict as it was given, it was given voluntarily and without employment or expectation of compensation, therefore, in fact, that the defendant is entitled to recover the amount of the claim. The defendant's intention by either party that anything was to be done about it. Such being the case, there can be no recovery by plaintiff for any services in that connection. Concerning the services of the plaintiff as a citizen in support of Mr. Barlow as a candidate for Congress, the defendant denies that he loaned the money to him, and says that no action can be maintained therefor. A previous request for such services is not a ground upon which the plaintiff will imply a promise to pay for the same.

"In regard to the money loaned, the defendant in his answer admits that he borrowed of plaintiff certain sums amounting to \$170, and for that sum he offers to allow judgment. As to all the other items, the defendant denies all the allegations of the complaint. The defendant's contention is that the testimony of the plaintiff on one side and of the defendant on the other. Each was corroborated in some slight particulars by the other facts and circumstances, by the testimony of other witnesses. As to some small items the defendant was corroborated by the testimony of the plaintiff. The defendant's contention is that the testimony of Mr. Trask, which tended to show a tacit admission of or acquiescence in the defendant's claim, is not to be given to the testimony of the plaintiff and defendant respectively. The plaintiff testifies positively that he loaned the money to the defendant, and that the defendant's testimony, amounting to over \$1700. The defendant testifies as positively that not a dollar of this money was loaned to or received by him, or by anyone for his use.

"After due consideration, I am unable to decide which of these statements is the more truthful. I am therefore compelled to resort to the decision of this case to the rule of law which requires the plaintiff to produce a preponderance of the evidence in

order to establish his case. The plaintiff, having failed to do this, the findings must be in favor of the defendant. Judgment will, therefore, be entered in accordance with the offer of the defendant in favor of plaintiff for \$170, without cost."

## GRAND JURY CHOSEN.

## Judge Smith Asks That No Time Be Wasted.

A grand jury was chosen in Department One yesterday and Judge Smith ordered the members to go to work and finish up the job as soon as possible. Thirty names were drawn from the box, resulting in the following being elected: W. J. Washburn, foreman; David Bayles, F. P. Boynton, Robinson Cahill, F. O. Cass, J. E. Courtney, C. M. Davis, Milton-Frazier, G. H. Frost, Harrison Fuller, Elton Hart, George Irvine, E. M. Keller, J. N. Kenally, Russell Kingdome, S. M. Landon, F. W. Partridge, G. H. Pike and Charles Prager.

Judge Smith made the usual charge to the jury, quoting the statutory instructions, after which he proceeded to offer a little advice.

"You have already been told what the law requires of you, gentlemen," he said, "but I want to warn you against a loose conception of its provisions. We have only recently charged a grand jury, selected a year ago, which continued in session for nearly eight months. Their work was done thoroughly, it is true, and there is no necessity of going over the same ground that they covered."

"Start in where the last grand jury left off, and finish up your work as soon as you can. There is no need of investigating every little detail in the criminal law, except to ascertain whether there is an error in fact which is being unjustly confined."

"Above all, do not allow yourselves to be influenced by persons who may come before you with a grievance which is entirely personal to their nature. There has been too much spite work in the past, and political schemes have proved the motive for much of the work thrown upon the grand juries during the past few years. I hope that you will not allow yourselves to be led into such a trap."

Judge Smith expressed the hope that the jury would finish its work by the first of the new year.

In July last the Board of Supervisors employed Mrs. Clara Y. Fowler to expert the books of the county officers, as well as those of the board. Mrs. Fowler has been constantly at work, and is nearly ready. The result of her investigations, it is understood, will be laid before the grand jury.

## BLACKMAN CASE CONTINUED.

## But Judge Smith Grants the Order with Reluctance.

W. R. Blackman, the defaulting secretary of the Los Angeles Electric Company, was to have been tried for embezzlement yesterday in Department One of the Superior Court, but a continuance was secured upon an affidavit presented by F. G. Finlayson, Esq., who, as one of Blackman's attorneys, stated that the defense was not prepared to proceed with a trial of the case. In explanation the attorney stated that at the eleventh hour Ben Goodrich, Esq., who had been engaged as senior counsel, had withdrawn from the case because his fees had not been satisfactorily secured.

Judge Smith granted the continuance, but very reluctantly. The Blackman case had been allowed a week upon the calendar, and the trial of many important cases had been postponed to accommodate it.

"If Mr. Goodrich were in court," concluded Judge Smith, "I would compel him to proceed with the case or fine him for contempt. I will not permit any further trifling with this court by attorneys withdrawing from a case because of fees."

Mr. Finlayson explained that he was not able to go ahead with the case, as he had been engaged merely as an assistant, and was not familiar with the line of defense outlined by his former colleague.

The case will come up for trial on Thursday morning next.

## UNHAPPY WIVES.

## Three of Them Obtained Divorces Yesterday.

Three divorces were granted in the Superior Court yesterday to women who charged their husbands with desertion and failure to provide. Two of the decrees were entered by Judge Aaron, the first being obtained by Jennie G. Snider from her husband, William T. Snider. The second decree was granted to Cora M. Maher, who, in addition to charging her husband, Thomas F. Maher, with desertion and non-support, alleged cruelty.

Judge Van Dyke granted a divorce to Sadie P. Tibbet from Albert T. Tibbet, for non-support.

The defendant in each case defaulted.

## A REAL ESTATE DEAL.

Mrs. Burkhardt Says She Got the Worst of It.

Mrs. Beckie Burkhardt filed suit yesterday against C. A. Runels, Loren Mershon and Charles Christensen to recover \$500 alleged to have been fraudulently obtained, and to rescind a contract of sale. She also prays for an order for the arrest of the defendants.

Mrs. Burkhardt alleges that on April 14, 1897, Runels came to her and offered to purchase the furniture in the Everett House, exchanging for which she agreed to transfer to her a one-half interest in a promissory note and mortgage for \$500 represented to be due on a certain piece of property in Riverside county, about two miles from Pasadena. The property was described as being the west one-half of the northeast one-quarter of the southeast one-quarter of section seven, township two south, range three west, San Bernardino base and meridian—consisting of twenty acres. The land, she says, represented as being of unusual fertility and adjoining a tract upon which a well-known local real estate firm had loaned a large sum of money.

Mrs. Burkhardt charges Runels with having represented that Christensen purchased the property for \$1000; that Christensen had come to him and asked for loan of \$250 and that the money was furnished, a note and mortgage being given as security for the loan. A one-half interest in these securities was accepted by Mrs. Burkhardt in exchange for her furniture.

Several weeks after the transaction Mrs. Burkhardt instituted an investigation into the matter, and discovered that the money was not being paid, and that the claim was a forgery.

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## BUSINESS.

## FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

## OFFICE OF THE TIMES.

## Los Angeles, Nov. 1, 1897.

## PROTECTING RESERVES.

## The present law governing the reserve of

## national banks provides for a reserve of

## 25 per cent. of the deposits of these

## banks situated in reserve cities and of

## 15 per cent. for all other banks. One-

## half the reserve of any bank in any re-

## serve city may consist of deposits in

## any central reserve city; and for any

## bank outside of the reserve cities, three-

## fifths of its reserve may, in like man-

## ner, consist of deposits with banks

## in those cities. The permission to

## count as cash these deposits, which

## are really only demands for cash,

## results in a division of the reserve

## into cash and the right to the United

## States investor, a banker makes the

## following suggestions on this subject:

## The banks outside of such cen-

## tral cities, during the summer months,

## their surplus cash to these cities for

## deposit. The tendency of these de-

## posits is to centralize the reserve in

## the large cities, the practice of invit-

## ing deposits from country banks by the

## payment of interest, which is an in-

## teresting little cash into an interest-

## bearing reserve is very attractive, and

## causes a large habitual transfer of re-

## serve from the country to the city.

## These accounts, which are in re-

## serve, are not, however, in the hands

## of the country banks, but are in the

## hands of the city banks, which are

## able to convert them into cash at any

## time. This results in the employment

## of the funds in such investments as

## a dull market affords. When the

## market is not dull, these reserves are

## not invested in cash loans. So when

## the country banks have occasion

## to withdraw their funds, the city

## banks are unable to convert these

## investments into immediate cash.

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## LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

## GRAIN AND HAY.

## Grain is weaker in the general market,

## but local quotations are unchanged. Hay is

## steady at last quoted prices.

## WHEAT—Per cental, large white, \$2.00;

## small white, \$1.95; per bushel, \$1.95;

## barley, \$1.95; per bushel, \$1.95;

## oats, \$1.95; per bushel, \$1.95;

## straw, \$1.95; per ton, \$1.95.

## FLOUR AND FEEDSTUFFS.

## Steady at last quoted prices.

## FLOUR—Per bushel, \$1.95;

## feedstuffs, \$1.95; per bushel, \$1.95;

## straw, \$1.95; per ton, \$1.95.

## PROVISIONS.

## Provisions are firm. Quotations unchanged.

## HAMS—Per lb., \$1.95;

## bacon, \$1.95; per lb., \$1.95;

## pork, \$1.95; per lb., \$1.95;

## beef, \$1.95; per lb., \$1.95;

## lamb, \$1.95; per lb., \$1.95;

## mutton, \$1.95; per lb., \$1.95;

## chicken, \$1.95; per lb., \$1.95;

## turkey, \$1.95; per lb., \$1.95;

## dressed, \$1.95; per lb., \$1.95;

## eggs, \$1.95; per dozen, \$1.95;

## butter, \$1.95; per lb., \$1.95;

## cheese, \$1.95; per lb., \$1.95;

## milk, \$1.95; per gallon, \$1.95;

## cream, \$1.95; per gallon, \$1.95;

## ice, \$1.95; per ton, \$1.95;

## firewood, \$1.95; per cord, \$1.95;

## coal, \$1.95; per ton, \$1.95;

## oil, \$1.95; per barrel, \$1.95;

## gas, \$1.95; per cubic foot, \$1.95;

## water, \$1.95; per gallon, \$1.95;

## electricity, \$1.95; per kilowatt hour, \$1.95;

## telephone, \$1.95; per month, \$1.95;

## postage, \$1.95; per pound, \$1.95;

## freight, \$1.95; per ton, \$1.95;

## insurance, \$1.95; per \$100, \$1.95;

## bond, \$1.95; per \$100, \$1.95;

## stock, \$1.95; per share, \$1.95;

## real estate, \$1.95; per acre, \$1.95;

## rent, \$1.95; per month, \$1.95;

## mortgage, \$1.95; per \$100, \$1.95;

## loan, \$1.95; per \$100, \$1.95;

## discount, \$1.95; per \$100, \$1.95;

## commission, \$1.95; per \$100, \$1.95;

## brokerage, \$1.95; per \$100, \$1.95;

## agency, \$1.95; per \$100, \$1.95;

## management, \$1.95; per \$100, \$1.95;

## consulting, \$1.95; per \$100, \$1.95;

## advertising, \$1.95; per \$100, \$1.95;

## printing, \$1.95; per \$100, \$1.95;

## publishing, \$1.95; per \$100, \$1.95;

## distribution, \$1.95; per \$100, \$1.95;

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## In the afternoon, with the result that nearly

## all changes resolved themselves into very

## small fluctuations, though the reaction ex-

## tended a little further in the afternoon.

## The sale of the Union Pacific main line at

## Omaha had the effect of stiffening the price

## of the stock, which rose at times 15 above

## the lowest and saved a part of its advance

## at the close. The stock was, however, with-

## out buoyant, and the market was not

## today being a bank holiday in London no

## quotations were received from there to

## influence rises here, but there was light buying

## of some stocks in this market for London ac-

## count. The stiffening of the rate in

## London is likely to last for some length

## of time, is attributed to operations incident

## to the November disbursements on account of

## dividends and interest, which are estimated

## at about \$30,000,000.

## Railroad bonds were strong in tone. Total

## sales, \$25,000. United States bonds were

## higher bid for all issues except the dives,

## which advanced 1/2. The new four coupon

## sold at 127 1/2, interest of 1 per cent.

## Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

## Atchison, 25 1/2; St. Paul, 25 1/2;

## B. &amp; O., 25 1/2; N. O., 25 1/2;

## C. &amp; O., 25 1/2; P. &amp; O., 25 1/2;

## Can. Southern, 25 1/2; Pac. &amp; M., 25 1/2;

## Pac. &amp; N., 25 1/2; So. Ry., 25 1/2;

## C. &amp; E. H., 25 1/2; Union Pacific, 25 1/2;

## C. &amp; S. L., 25 1/2; Wabash, 25 1/2;

## D. &amp; R. G., 25 1/2; Adams Exp., 25 1/2;

## Erie, 25 1/2; Wells-Fargo, 25 1/2;

## G. N. R., 25 1/2; A. T. &amp; P., 25 1/2;

## Hocking Valley, 25 1/2; Amer. Spirits, 25 1/2;

## H. C. &amp; W., 25 1/2; Am. Tob., 25 1/2;

## L. &amp; W., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

## M. &amp; T., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

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## V. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

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## X. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

## Y. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

## Z. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

## AA. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

## BB. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

## CC. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

## DD. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

## EE. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

## FF. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

## GG. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

## HH. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

## II. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

## JJ. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

## KK. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

## LL. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

## MM. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

## NN. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

## OO. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

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## RR. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

## SS. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

## TT. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

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## WW. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

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## BBB. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

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## DDD. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

## EEE. &amp; N., 25 1/2; Nat. L. O., 25 1/2;

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